GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA

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OBJECTION TO FLEET EXPANSION PLAN OF AI
AJAY CHAKRABORTY;PRABODH PANDA

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the finance ministry has objected to the fleet expansion plan of the Indian Airlines;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor; and

(c) the response of this ministry thereto?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI SHRIPAD YESSO NAIK)

(a),(b) and (c): The proposal that has been received from Indian Airlines Ltd. has been circulated to various appraising agencies like Planning Commission, Ministry of Finance, Ministry of Environment etc. Their comments, when received will be discussed in a pre-PIB (Public Investment Board) meeting.